



November 4, 2005

Department of Natural Resources
Division of Oil, Gas, & Mining
Attn: Doug Jensen
1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210
PO Box 145801

Salt Lake City, UT 84114-5801

RE: Request for updated reclamation permit for Aragonite Mine, M/045/031, Tooele County, Utah

Dear Mr. Jensen:

We request that the Aragonite mine reclamation permit be extended an additional five years. We hope that the following information is sufficient for you to extend our permit. I am submitting an updated map along with this letter, in response to a letter dated October 24, 2005. We do not anticipate that the bonded/permitted area will change within the next five years. Additionally, there have been no new surface structures added to the permitted areas.

The bonded area where we are currently mining is indicated in yellow on the attached map. The areas shaded in green are the areas that were disturbed prior to the 1991 agreement with American Stone, exempting American Stone from reclaiming these areas. We have not reclaimed any portion of the five acres in our active mining area. We are not seeking to have any areas released from the bond.

This information should satisfy your requests to perform a 5-year Surety Review for this quarry. Thank you for your continued patience in this matter. Should there be any questions, please direct them to myself or my assistant Marie Ludwig.

Sincerely,

Lon A. Thomas
President

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$$1320 \times 150 = 4.55$$

$$130 \times 150 = .44$$



Active Mine Area



OLD AREAS NOT TO BE RECLAIMED

Map updated 11/4/05

AREA 1 →

AREA 2 → 2.27 ACRES

AREA 3 → 4.99 ACRES

AREA 4 → .3 ACRES

AREA 5 → .44 ACRES

AREA 6 → .55 ACRES

AREA 7 → .37 ACRES

AREA 8 → OLD AREA

AREA 9 → OLD AREA

AREA 10 → OLD AREA

AREAS FROM
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